#### LOCAL MENTION. AMUSEMENTS TONIGHT.

Chase's-"Enigmarelle" and polite vaudeville, 8:15 p.m. Columbia-Lulu Glaser in "A Madcap

Princess," 8:15 p.m. Kernan's-Rose Hill English Folly Company, 8:15 p.m. Lafayette-Billy B. Van in "The Brrand

Boy," 8:15 p.m. National-Robert Edeson in "Ranson's Folly," 8:15 p.m. For other amusements see page 3, part 2.

### EXCURSIONS TOMORROW.

Norfolk and Washington steamers for Fortress Monroe and Norfolk at 6:30 p.m. Randall Line for Colonial Beach, Maddox Creek and intermediate landings at 7 a.m. Weems Line for Baltimore and river landings at 4 p.m.

Many Notable Values at Notes'. -We are daily in receipt of surplus stocks

erings shipped us from one or another of the many manufacturers we represent. We are told to turn these stocks into cash at once, and to facilitate this move we offer them at half their actual value. See what you need for the house, then come to Notes for it. 9th, cor. D st.

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#### Repairs, Small as Well as Large. C. D. Collins, Carpenter, 719 18th n.w.

The police were asked last night to recover a dozen stolen brooms. The brooms were taken from in front of the store of M. Cohen. 1030 21st street northwest.

The Largest "Dangler" Oil Heater -made. Special for \$5.00. A. Eberly's Sons,

Don't Wait Till Cold Weather

#### sets in before having the blankets washed. Let us send for them now. Best results. Tolman Laundry, 6th and C. Two 'phones.

Get 5 Gallons of Distilled Water-Finley's Diamond "F" Distilled Water-for 50c. and keep a supply on ice for your table use. It's the purest water you can get. It's reasonable in price. Order at 1109 14th n.w. or 208 Mass. ave. n.e. Finley & Son.

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Oriental Carpets and Rugs at Auction. A large collection to select from, and the finest specimens to be had, will be on exhibition Monday and Tuesday in our Art Galleries, 1412 H st. n.w. All to be sold at public auction by catalogue Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, Oct. 26, 27 and 28, at 11 a.m. and 3 p.m., each day. Brown & Tolson,

#### New Chinese Dining Room

for ladies has been opened by the Oriental Restaurant, 926 Pennsylvania avenue, second floor. Chinese dishes served on pearlinlaid tables imported from China. Handsomest dining room in the city.

#### A. B. C. Headache Powders. mmediate relief. Druggists.

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Schneider's "MALT" Bread costs the same as other breads, but excels in nourishing value. Why not have the best for your value. Why not have the best for you table? Fresh every day at all good grocers'

Blankets cleaned. Rebound with silk rib bon without extra charge. Bornot, 1103 G st.

# Scores of Homes Never Lack

case of "Old Glory" Beer. Its delicious flavor and superior tonic value are at all times a pleasure and benefit for all. For case 'phone Abner-Drury Brewing Co.

Adherence to Anatomical Principles assures every wearer of our correctly adjusted appliances perfect support and com-fort; fitting by experts only. Trusses, Orthopedic Apparatuses, Elastic Hoslery, Obesity Belts, etc. Cutlery, Crutches, Rubber Goods, Surgical Instruments, etc. Lenz & Lossau. 623 7th st. n.w. Lady attendant,

A young woman named Ruth Smith was taken sick at her home on C street north-west this morning. The ambulance was summoned and she was taken to the Emergency Hospital.

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Welsbach Light Agency, Air Lights. 12th and G sts. C. A. Muddiman & Co.

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J. Richard Riggles' Paint Store, 927 9th st. n.w. Great Bear a Pure Spring Water.

4 gallons for 50c. Office: 704 11th.

# CITY AND DISTRICT.

A lighted match thrown against a lace curtain caused a slight blaze in the house of Mrs. Kate Wood, 212 E street northeast, early last night. The fire department went to the house in response to an alarm turned in from box 648, and the fire was extinguished before more than \$5 damage had

Annie Ross, colored, living at 1524 New Jersey avenue northwest, was knocked off her bicycle near her home yesterday after-noon when her wheel collided with a delivery wagon belonging to Corby's bakery. The bicycle was demolished and the girl slightly bruised. She was assisted home

An automobile operated by William Het-tinger and a bicycle ridden by Thomas Golden came together on Pennsylvania avenue between 9th and 10th streets yesterday afternoon. The bicycle was slightly damaged, but the rider escaped serious injury.

# \$1.25 Baltimore and Return,

B. and O. R. R., Saturday and Sunday. All trains both ways, both days, except Royal Limited. "Hourly Service" Satur-

# Chapter's First Meeting of Season.

Constitution Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, held its first meeting of the season Tuesday evening last at The Portner. The regent being absent, Mrs. Charles W. Brown, vice regent, presided. The paper of the evening was one by Mrs. Ellen Spencer Mussey on "Juvenile Educa-tion and Child Labor in the District of Columbia."

# Claimants for Lost Boat

The boat that was found adrift in the river Monday morning and taken down the river as far as Marshall Hall, as stated in The Star at the time, has been claimed. Two young men hired the small craft at Four-Mile Run, and when they failed to have good luck they went ashore and enjoyed a nap. Later when they missed the boat they went to their homes without reporting the loss and took it for granted that the boat and contents had been stolen.

Postage Required for Mailing The Star. 16 to 28 pages. . . . . 2 cents. 32 to 36 pages. . . . 3 cents. Saturday's Star mailed from the

office, postage prepaid, \$1.00 a year.

UNCLE SAM'S PRINTERY

Academy-"The Fatal Wedding." 8:15 PREPARING FOR INCREASE OF WORK-CURRENT GOSSIP.

> Sympathy Expressed for Family of E. R. Sprague—Those Who Are on Leave.

As the time for the convening of Congress approaches there are multiplying evidences of preparation for that event at the government printing office, where the volume of work will be greatly increased when the flags again fly over the House and Senate ends of the big white Congress house, as the Capitol was termed in olden times. The force of printers will be increased to meet the additional demands and the big printery will be illuminated after dark as a sign of night work. Just now many employes of the office have gone to their several voting places to cast their ballots in the impending national contest.

Certain signs that Congress is coming are observable in the Congressional Record di-vision of the office, where the "apprentice class" of typos are busily engaged in "learning the machines," recently installed there. The thirty-five big double-decter linotypes are manned every working day by "learners," whose efficiency is said to

be increasing satisfactorily.
Mr. John R. Berg, foreman of the Congressional Record, and the president of Co-lumbia Typographical Union, No. 101, has gone to his old home at Nebraska City, Neb., where he will remain, it is said, for a month, During his absence Mr. Will Dow, assistant foreman, will have charge of the Record force, while Vice President Love will perform his union functions. Mr. Dow recently returned from Missouri.

#### Mr. Slentz's Death.

Particulars of the death of Thaddeus S. Slentz, a veteran employe of the government printing office, which occurred recently at the Soldiers' Home at Hampton, Va., are given by the Trades Unionist. It appears that Mr. Slentz had arisen at 1 o'clock in the morning and gone to the bath room to take a bath. While in the tub he was stricken with paralysis, according to physiclans, and was drowned. The hot-water spigot was open and running until he was found, several hours later, his body being parboiled, with the exception of his face. Mr. Slentz was employed for more than twenty-five years in the government print-ing office, it is stated, and has many friends in Washington. He was buried at Gettys-burg. Pa., with military honors. burg, Pa., with military honors.

Memorial services for the recent dead of

Columbia Typographical Union will be held Sunday, December 4. It is proposed to make the ceremonies particularly impres-William Small, a prominent bookbinder of York, Pa., has announced his intention of visiting this city for the purpose of inspecting the up-to-date methods and machinery in the government bindery.

It is reported that during the approaching winter an effort will be made to se-

cure an appointment in the folding depart ment of the government printing office for Miss Tatima Yakima, an educated Japanese woman who is now a resident of Chicago Miss Yakima's purpose in getting in the folding division is said to be to learn the methods in vogue there in order that she may at a later time introduce similar methods in the government printery of It is reported that Mr. Frank Kidd of the proof room is confined to his home by

Much sympathy is expressed in the first division of this office for the family of Mr. Edward R. Sprague, who met his death on the suburban electric car which was toppled over at the curve at 4th and T streets last Monday. Deceased was employed in the first division as a composi-tor and was said to be popular with his fellow workmen.

### Personal Notes

Among the employes of the second division who are on leave are Messrs. William C. Beddow, who is at Yankton; J. B. Swinburne, W. E. Holt, W. C. Glenn, P. J. McAuliffe and S. T. Walton.
Assistant Foreman George L. Sherman

of the third division expects to leave here for his home at Elk City, Kan., this evening, to remain until after the election.

Mr. W. B. Johnson of the third division is spending his leave at his home in Quit-After a month's visit to St. Louis and Chicago, Mr. J. H. Swerdfiger has returned

to his duties in the government printing Several days ago Mr. Thomas J. Daily of the first division received the sad tidings of the death of his mother in Illinois, and he left at once to attend her funeral.

#### Oriental Rugs and Carpets. A beautiful assortment of oriental rugs

the first of next week.

and carpets, a recent importation, will be sold at Sloan's, 1407 G st., commencing Wednesday. On exhibition Monday and Tuesday. See catalogue.—Advt.

#### Missionary Mass Meeting. The Baptist Woman's District Missionary

Society will hold its second quarterly mass meeting next Tuesday evening, October 25, in Shiloh Baptist Church at 8 o'clock. A very interesting program will be presented. Miss Nannie H. Burroughs, national cor- ton to that of Captain Butt, the United responding secretary, of Louisville, Ky., will make the address of the evening. Shiloh choir will furnish the music. The president of the District society, Mrs. Julia Mason Layton, has recently returned from Austin. Texas. where she was in attendance at National Baptist Woman's convention. Several echo meetings are scheduled. The missionaries societies will start a box October 28 to one of their missionaries in British Central Africa, Miss E. B. De-laney. Last year the Baptist women of the United States furnished the money for the

erection of a house for Miss Delaney. They feel very proud of this effort, because it is the first house erected by negro Baptist women in foreign fields. Over 100 young African children are trained there, Miss Burroughs in her address will tell about Miss Delaney and her work.

Burnett's Vanilla Extract is the fixed standard of excellence. It has outlived criticism. It is the purest vanilla extract that can be bought. Ask for Burnett's.-Advt.

# Work of Sportsmen.

Anglers have been enjoying some good sport on the Eastern branch this week. Many of them had such poor luck at bass fishing up the river that they have come down perch fishing. Indeed, many of them are satisfied to catch anything. Harrison Murray of Southeast Washington made one of the best catches of the week. He tried his luck a short distance above

the Anacostia bridge, and landed seven big-mouth bass, three dozen perch and forty-three catfish. Shooting on the marsh has been better this fall than it has for a number of years. Reed birds have all gone south, but ortolan are still plentiful and in splendid condition. Ducks are unusually plentiful, and, it is stated, as many as forty have been killed by a single gunner during a day's outing.

Important Among Home Requisites. A flask of "Old Braddock" Maryland Rye is the most essential furnishing of any medi-cine cabinet. All quality dealers sell it.— Advertisement.

#### Blown From Anchorage. During the heavy gale which began blow-

ing at an early hour yesterday morning the brigantine Jennie Hulbert, which is lying near the new railway bridge to discharge a cargo of stone from Maine for the new highway bridge, was blown from her anchorage and against the railway bridge, but fortunately no damage of consequence was fortunately no damage of consequence was fortunately no damage of consequence was done to the vessel, some of her rigging being damaged. Several of the scows and The Underwood Wins Another Victory.

#### FAVOR ROOSEVELT.

Ninety Per Cent of Spanish War Veterans Want Him Elected.

There are hundreds of soldiers of the war with Spain in Washington, it is said, who are entitled to vote in the states. Capt. Adolph Van Reuth, jr., assisted by other Spanish war veterans, has arranged for No Suspicion of Wrongdoing, but Prethese soldiers to procure railroad tickets to their homes at reduced rates. A notice to this effect has been mailed to many of them, without regard to whether they are or are not members of the organization of

Spanish War Veterans. Captain Van Reuth stated today that at least 90 per cent of the vote of Spanish war soldiers would be cast for the election

of President Roosevelt. "The ties of comradeship are strong," he added, "and our boys will show their ap-preciation of Colonel Roosevelt's magnif-icent work in the war with Spain by voting for him. He is logically our favorite, and is an active member of the organization of Spanish War Veterans."

Another Spanish war soldier, late a na-tional officer, stated that every effort would be made to have the men of 1898 go to their homes and vote for "Comrade Roosevelt." "I know veterans of the Spanish war," he who have always been democrats, but who will cast their ballots this time for the election of President Roosevelt. It is their hope that the people of this country will rebuke in no uncertain manner at the polls next month those so-called anti-im-perialists who have taken every occasion to vilify and discredit the American soldier, who is recognized the world over as the best and most humane fighter under the sun. "In this movement I know the old veterans of the civil war are hand in hand with the younger soldiers of the short but decisive war of 1898, which is far reaching in its effects. In furtherance of this rebuke I agree with Captain Van Reuth that fully 90 per cent of the vote of soldiers of the war with Spain will be cast for Roosevelt and Fairbanks."

### Antique Furniture.

niture, plate, china, glass, curios, &c., will be on view at Sloan's, 1407 G st., Monday and Tuesday.-Advt. \$1.25 Baltimore and Return.

A grand collection of rare household fur-

B and O. R. R., every Saturday and Sun-Tickets good returning until Sunday "Hourly Service" Saturday.—Advt.

Potomac Fish Sent to St. Louis. Supplies of fish from the Potomac river are sent to the tanks in the fish commission exhibit at the St. Louis fair several times each week in order to keep the display as complete as possible. The fish are caught in the nets near Mount Vernon for the fish commission and are kept in a live boat at the Bryan's Point station. Twice each week they are shipped to this city on a river steamer in big cans and on the trip up the river a man is kept busy with a big dipper aerating the water in the cans in order to keep the fish alive. At the fish commission station here the fish are transferred to the fish commission cars and shipped west. Rock, white and yellow perch, bass, mullets, catfish and varieties of Potomac fish are the specimens shipped.

Money to lend at 4, 5 and 6 per cent on real estate. Frank T. Rawlings, 1505 Pa. ave.

# Death of Alexander B. Burns.

Alexander B, Burns, a well-known contractor, died at Georgetown University Hospital recently, after an illness of twenty-six days, of dropsy and heart trouble. He had occupied many official positions in former days, including that of deputy collector of the port of New Orleans and prominent positions under the District government. He had a wide circle of friends, among whom were many prominent men of the day. His wife and their six children and a daughter by a former marriage, Mrs. S. F. Arnold of Lebanon, Pa., survive him. The funeral took place from Trinity Church, George-town, and the interment was made in Holy Rood cemetery.

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Advertisement. Illicit Dealers Pay Heavy Fines. Almost the entire northern neck of Virginia is "local option," but despite the ef-

forts of the officers liquor is sold on the sly. Recently in the Irvington neighborhood a vigorous effort was made to break up these "speakeasies," and a raid resulted Leaves of absence have been granted Jacob Persinger, James B. Knapp, E. P. Bennett, Charles W. Henry, J. J. Sullivan, H. S. Gunn, F. M. Wernke, R. A. Johnson, J. M. Weaver, F. W. Kern and E. J. Ellwood, all of the first division.

Mr. E. C. Saltzman of the third division expects to join Mrs. Saltzman at St. Louis and convictions secured. W. I. Harding was fined \$500, J. B. Shorty \$500, Richard Rolls \$400, Arthur Lee \$400 and Leon Bruner \$100, a total of \$1,900. In addition the convicted men have the costs to pay, and may be prosecuted by the United States internal revenue authorities for violation of the revenue laws expects to join Mrs. Saltzman at St. Louis the revenue laws.

> \$1.00 to Harper's Ferry and Martinsburg; \$2.00 to Cumberland and return, B. & O. R. R. Leave Washing-

# ton 8:05 a.m., Sunday, October 23. Splendid opportunity for country outing.-Advt.

Rumor of Transfer. Rumor has it that the United States army tug Gibbon, the tender to the artillery station at Fort Washington, will shortly be transferred from the control of the officer commanding at Fort Washing-States army depot quartermaster here. The headquarters of the Gibbon will then be changed from the fort to this city, and she lie over here at night, instead of at Fort Washington, as is now the practice It is also stated that one of the small passenger and freight steamers now building at a northern shipyard for the army quartermasters' service will be assigned to duty on the Potomac and will run on a reg-ular schedule between this city and Fort Washington and Fort Hunt.

Bring Your Printing Troubles Here -and have us apply our "faultless service" cure. Byron S. Adams, Printer, 512 11th.-

# New Schooner Launched.

Wm. E. Woodall & Co., shipbuilders of Baltimore, have recently launched a new chooner, which has been named the Chas. A. Wilter and is designed for the bay trade. The new vessel is a three-masted schoner, 125 feet long, 291/2 feet beam and 81/2 feet depth of hold. She is expected to carry 350 tons dead weight on a nine-foot draft, and will be able to trade with the shoal-water ports on the coast. The new craft is comfortably fitted out with modern appli-ances, and has ample quarters for her officers and crew. Captain Bromwell, formerly master of the schooner Wm. L. Franklin, will have command of the new vessel, with Capt. John Jenkins as his second in command.

The Season's Flowers at Their Best. Gude grows the finest specimens shown Consult him about wedding decorations. 1224. F.-Advt.

# Lecture by Max West.

"The Making of a Million Americans in Porto Rico" is the subject of a lecture which was delivered in the free lectures to the people courses last evening at the M Street High School by Max West, Ph.D. After a brief description of the physical characteristics of the island the lecturer touched upon the social and economic condition of the inhabitants and the public school system inaugurated by the Americans, which includes all stages of education from kindergarten to university and industrial schools. The lecture was illustrated by a large number of slides, showing Porto Rican scenery and costumes. Dr. West has just returned from an elevent

other vessels used in the work about the bridge were also blown from their moorings against the piers of the raliway bridge, but were not damaged to any extent.

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He was released on his own recognizance.

USE OF WOOD ALCOHOL

INSPECTION OF ILOCAL SALOON PRODUCTS PROBABLE.

cautions Regarded as Advisable-Baltimore Investigation.

Since so many people died in New York last week from the alleged effects of imbibing wood alcohol sold in a saloon, as published in The Star at the time, local police officials have engaged in many consultations concerning the quality of the whisky that is sold in local saloons. Nothing has yet been done by the local police in the matter of procuring samples of cheap whisky for analysis. Professor Hird, the District chemist, has made investigations of such liquor during past years, but, it is prosecutions in court. Unless something injurious to health is found in the liquor, it is said, it is practically impossible to prose cute dealers.

The local laws, a Star reporter was told, do not cover the case very well and a new statute is needed. It is probable that some action will be taken looking to a test of liquor on sale. In Baltimore the police have started a crusade against cheap whisky The question of the quality and effects of saloon whisky came up in Magistrate Grannan's court, in Baltimore, yesterday, when a man named Burnett was arrested for in-

Didn't Know What Happened. Patrolman Lamm, who made the arrest, said that he had met Burnett late Thursday afternoon on Frederick street, near Gay, and that he appeared to be perfectly sober, but that a few minutes later the man was lying on the sidewalk. He was helpless, and did not realize what had happened, and the patrolman, too, was astounded, for he could not be convinced that Burnett had had time to get drunk. He took the man to the station house and a large assembly in the meeting room of the preferred the charge against him. When the prisoner was asked to give his side of the story he looked at Justice Grannan and said he didn't know what had hap-

pened. He said: "Well, I've stood up under or twelve drinks, and was not intoxicated by any means, and what surprises me most is the fact that I only took a couple of drinks yesterday, and I don't remember a thing. The officer here says I met him and spoke with him, but to save my soul I can't remember it."

"Well." said the magistrate commenting upon the case, "It seems strange to me, but I guess there must something in the story, for during the past few weeks fully fifteen or twenty men have told me the same tale. Lieutenant Cole first called my attention to the matter. He told me that nearly every drunk arrested during the past month was absolutely helpless, and that the antics they went through while recovering their faculties were very pecullar. All of the officers about the station house say that the most extraordinary the drunkenness is the rapidity with which the men simply collapse. One minute one of the men will be talking to an officer, and the next be 'dead to the

Similar Experience Here.

The local police have had a number of similar experiences during recent months, but there was never any suspicion that the victims had indulged in wood alcohol. It is a common thing for the police to pick up people who are in a beastly state of intoxication, and it frequently occurs that the victim declares one or two drinks put public rendition. him out of commission. In many bar rooms, it is stated, where five-cent whisky is sold, a pint of the fluid is to be had for fifteen cents a pint, or twenty-five cents a quart. Such liquor is the kind frequently mentioned by the police as "fire water," and some of it, it is stated, contains red pepper to give it the "fire" name.

"Something should certainly be done by the authorities to improve the quality of the liquor sold," said a policeman, discussing the matter with a Star reporter this morning. "With an improvement in the "With an improvement in the morning. morning. "With an improvement in the quality of the liquor, I believe the number of cases of drunkenness would decrease

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and there would be fewer street brawls."

Receiver Appointed and Sale Ordered Justice Anderson, in Equity Court No. 1 has signed a Jecree in the case of Oliver J. Waters against Adam R. Brady, appointing M. F. Mangan receiver of the partnership assets involved in the litigation and authorizing a sale by the receiver and the division of the proceeds between the parties. The decree was signed after a hearing upon a rule requiring the defendant to him and the complainant in connection with certain valuable crops upon the Clagett property on Brightwood avenue should not be dissolved and a receiver appointed be-cause of alleged disagreements that had arisen. Mr. Brady represented his own in-terests in court, while Attorneys Lambert and Baker appeared for Mr. Waters.

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Stenographers Organize. Officers of the recently formed stenographers and Bookkeepers' Association have been elected as follows: President, Joseph T. Sherrier; vice president, Miss Alice Mc-Coy; recording secretary, F. F. Hartwell; financial secretary, Miss Clinton; treasurer J. W. Lowe; guide, Miss Malone; guardian, L. A. Sterne. The new organization is said to be in the nature of a union.

\$1.25 To Baltimore and Return \$1.25 Pennsylvania railroad, Saturday and Sunday, tickets good on all trains except Con-gressional Limited, and good for return un-til Sunday night.—Advt.

Victim of Blood Poisoning. The recent death of William A. Watson, an elderly employe of the Washington navy yard, is said to have been due to blood poisoning, the result of an accident which

befell him several weeks ago. Deceased was employed in the gun foundry as a machinist. Moore & Hill (Inc.), 717 14th St. "We sell and rent houses." Money to loan.

# Mission Work in China.

Mr. S. K. Dzau of China, who is in this country in connection with Y. M. C. A. work, will address the Christian Endeavor Society of the New York Avenue Presbyterian Church tomorrow evening at 6:45 o'clock on the subject. Bright Prospects of Mission Work in China."

V. Baldwin Johnsen's Coal, 612 9th st. Oh! the quality, the quality, the quality.

son was asked.

Court Excused Him. "I hope you will excuse me this time," was the plea of Charles Anderson, colored, in Judge Scott's court this morning. "If you let me go I'll return to the country, where I am employed." "What was your trouble about?" Ander-

"I came to the city to see my children,

as I do every two weeks," was his answer, "and some men took my rubber coat. Then they teased me about it, and I cussed EXCURSIONS.

The ride down the historic Potomac to Mt. Vernon on the elegant steel steamer Charles Macalester is highly appreciated by the many strangers who visit this sacred spot. By this route one has an opportunity to see the United States arsenal, Alexandria, Fort Foote, Fort Washington, Fort Hunt and many other places of more than ordinary interest along the shores of Maryland and Virginia. The steamer, which is thoroughly heated, leaves 7th street wharf daily except Sunday at 10 a.m. and 2:30 p.m., returning, due to arrive at Washington at 2:15 and 6:15 p.m. There's a first-class cafe on the boat; meals served a la carte.

Old Point Comfort is an army and navy post, and has one of the country's most famous hotels, the Chamberlin, which is one of the very few hostelries in the country to maintain a private hunting preserve. This shooting ground, 10,000 acres in extent, is very convenient to the hotel. The comfortably appointed steam-ers of the Norfolk and Washington line stated, found no cases which warrant bring Old Point within a night's ride of this city, and the trip is made every day in the year at 6:30 p.m. from the wharf, foot of 7th street.

Many things combine to make the tri-weekly trips of the Southern Pacific Company to California from this city at-tractive. The trips are under the direct supervision of the company, a personal representative accompanying each exursion. The train service is unexcelled. the excursion sleeper coaches providing comforts hitherto unthought of. No change of cars is necessary. Particulars may be had at the office of the general agent, A. J. Poston, 511 Pennsylvania

Baltimore and Return \$1.25, Via Penngylvania railroad, every Saturday and Sunday, all trains except Congressional Limited.—Advt.

Entertainment of U. V. L. The invitations extended by Encampment 111, Union Veteran Legion, to Auxiliary 32, Ladies of the U. V. L., and to friends of the encampment brought together recently

encampment, 316 Pennsylvania avenue southeast. The welcoming speech was delivered by Col. Shannon, who in his remarks stated that this was the first of a series of such entertainments, their object being to strengthen the relationship existing between the U. V. L. and its auxiliary, the L. U. V. L. An enjoyable program was given.

South Washington Branch Office. The Star has opened a branch office at Sullivan's new pharmacy, corner 7th and D streets southwest, where advertisements are received at regular rates and sent direct to The Star office.

The Coleridge-Taylor Musical Festival. The managers of the Coleridge-Taylor Choral Society are much encouraged in the outlook for great success for their musical festival, which takes place at Convention Hall November 16 and 17, and at the Lyric Hall, Baltimore, November 18. Coleridge-Taylor, a colored man who has won much fame in England as a composer and conductor, is coming over to conduct the festival. The choral society here which bears his name has proven on several occasions its ability to give an exceptionally good interpretation of his works. It will be as-sisted by the Marine Band Orchestra of over fifty musicians. The soloists are all colored singers of reputation outside of Washington, except the violinist, Mr. White, who will play, to Mr. Taylor's plano accompaniment, his latest work, entitled "African Dances." This will be its first public rendition. Another novelty will be "Three Choral Ballads" on slavery. The music of these is said to be on a par with the "Hiawatha" music, but the themes are distinctly the negro music of the "Jubilee Songs." Mr. Coleridge-Taylor will sail for this country on the Sexania, Cunard line, October 25, due to arrive at Boston Novem-

Mrs. Ida E. Chestnut of Philadelphia has been secured to sing the contralto parts in the quartet for the choral ballads, the other soloists being Mr. Burleigh of New York, Mme. Clough of Worcester, Mass., and Mr. reeman of St. Louis.

# Eruptions.

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COMPLIMENT TO COMRADE.

Lincoln Post's Presentation to Colonel

M. Emmet Urell. The regular meeting and campfire of Lincoln Post, G. A. R., Wednesday evening last was marked by a pleasing incident. At the post Grand Army fair, held in this city some years ago, the post was presented with a handsomely framed lifesize crayon portrait of Colonel Urell, then the commander of this department. A short while ago the post, by an unanimo vote, proffered it as a gift to Colonel Urell, and Wednesday evening the presentatio took place.

The large post hall was well filled, many of the past department commanders being present. After the regular business of the evening was disposed of the presentation in behalf of the post was made by J. E. McCabe, and was accepted by Colonel Urell in a brief speech of thanks. Short talks were made by Past Department Commanders Kimball, Hendricks, Hawkes, Stone, Pipes, McElroy and Commander Finn of Post No. 1, which were interspersed with some old army songs, after which

a collation was served.

Colonel Urell served with credit, and was commissioned for gallantry in the civil war, and as major and lieutenant col-onel of the 1st District of Columbia Volunteers in the Spanish-American war Lin-coln Post felt it to be an honor to thus recognize one of their comrades who was a veteran of two wars.

#### CITY ITEMS.

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Charles Payne, colored. and a friend named Armstrong were thrown from a avenue and 7th street southeast yesterday afternoon, but were not injured. The ac-cident was caused by a collision with a street car. The fender of the car was dam-But Little "Figuring" is Necessary

Wise housekeepers promote satisfaction and economy by ordering Jno. G. Meinberg's Bread. At all grocers'. Bakery, 716 11th s.e. Small Orders for Lumber of Any Kind given prompt attention. Lowest prices. Eisinger Bros., 2109 7th n.w. 'Phone N. 777.

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Very Finest Cheese, 11c. Lb.;

Fancy Sugar Corn, 7c.; H. E. Oats, 8c.

Change of Sale Day. Commencing with Tuesday, Oct. 25, 1904, we will hold our regular furniture sales on Tuesdays, at 10 a.m., throughout the year, instead of Thursdays, as heretofore. This change is made necessary in order to avoid conflict with our catalogue sales in the future. Brown & Tolson, Aucts., 1412 H st.

Gained a Pound a Week. Mrs. E. J. Bell, 213 Walworth street, Brooklyn, says: "My daughter has gained over a pound a week since she began tak-ing Mi-o-na. Her appetite is good and she enjoys her food very much. Her face and enjoys her food very much. Her face and limbs are filling out, and she has a good color. She has also regained her spirits, while she used to be so melancholy that I thought at times she would lose her mind. For a long while she was quite weak, and her nerves so shattered that she had convulsions and could not sleep at night. Now since taking Mi-o-na she sleeps right through the night until morning and has gained greatly in strength."

Few medicines have as many friends in Washington as Mi-o-na. Henry Evans has the local agency for this preparation. A box of these tablets costs but 50c., and this amount will cure the average dys-

A wagon owned by Benjamin Johnson of Colesville, Md., was struck by a street car at 9th and Q streets last night and badly damaged. Nobody was injured.

peptic and fill out the wasted form

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FOREIGN MAILS are dispatched to the ports of sailing daily, and the schedule of closings is arranged on the presumption of their uninterrupted overland transit. For the week ending October 29, 1904, the last connecting closes will be made from the MAIN OFFICE as follows:

MONDAY—(c) At 11:45 P.M. for ITALY direct, per s.s. Prinz Oskar, from New York. Mail must be directed "Per s.s. Prinz Oskar, from New York. Mail must be directed "Per s.s. Prinz Oskar,"

TUESDAY—(a) At 7:15 P.M. for LIVERPOOL, SCOTLAND, IRELAND and FRANCE, per s.s. Teutonic, from New York, via Queenstown and Liverpool. Mail for other parts of EUROPE must be directed "Per s.s. Teutonic." (c) At 11:45 P.M. for NORWAY PARCELS-POST MAILS, per s.s. Hellig Olav, from New York. Mails must be directed "Per s.s. Noordam," (c) At 11:45 P.M. for NORWAY PARCELS-POST MAILS, per s.s. Hellig Olav, from New York. Regular mail for DENMARK must be directed "Per s.s. Hellig Olav, from New York. Regular mail for DENMARK must be directed "Per s.s. Deutschland." (c) At 11:45 P.M. for FRANCE, SWITZERLAND, ITALY, SPAIN, PORTUGAL, TURKEY, EGYPT, GREECE and BRITISH INDIA, per s.s. La Gascogne, from New York, via Havre. Mail for other parts of EUROPE must be directed "Per s.s. La Gascogne, from New York, via Havre. Mail for other parts of EUROPE must be directed "Per s.s. La Gascogne, from New York, via Havre. Mail for other parts of EUROPE must be directed "Per s.s. La Gascogne, from New York, via Havre. Mail for other parts of EUROPE must be directed "Per s.s. La Gascogne, from New York, via Havre. Mail for other parts of EUROPE must be directed "Per s.s. La Gascogne, from New York, via Havre. Mail for other parts of EUROPE must be directed "Per s.s. La Gascogne, from New York, via Havre. Mail for other parts of EUROPE must be directed "Per s.s. La Gascogne, from New York, via Havre. Mail for other parts of EUROPE must be directed "Per s.s. La Gascogne,"

FRIDAY—(b) At 2:30 P.M. for AZORES IS-FRIDAY—(b) At 2:30 P.M. for AZORES IS-LANDS, per s.s. Romanic, from Boston. (a) At 7:15 P.M. for IRELAND, per s.s. Umbria, from New York, via Queenstown and Liverpool. Mail for other parts of EUROPE must be directed "Per s.s. Umbria." (a) At 7:15 P.M. for EUROPE, per s.s. St. Paul, from New York, via Plymouth and Cherbourg. (c) At 11:45 P.M. for BELSHUM direct, per s.s. Kroonland, from New York. Mail must be directed "Per s.s. Kroonland." (c) At 11:45 P.M. for ITALY direct, per s.s. Koenigh Luise, from New York. Mail must be directed "Per s.s. Koenigh Luise."

MAILS FOR SOUTH AND CENTRAL AMERICA

"Per s.s. Koenigin Luise."

MAILS FOR SOUTH AND CENTRAL AMERICA,
WEST INDIES, ETC.
SATURDAY (October 22)—(a) At 7:15 P.M. for
FORTUNE ISLAND, JAMAICA and COLOMBIA,
except Magdalena Department, per s.s. Sarn'a,
from New York. Mail for COSTA RICA must be
directed "Per s.s. Sarnia."
SUNDAY—(k) At 11:30 A.M. for ST. PIERRE—
MIQUELON, per steamer from North Sydney. (k)
At 11:45 P.M. for the BAHAMAS and CIUDAD
BOLIVAR, per s.s. Banes, from New York.
MONDAY—(c) At 11:45 P.M. for NICARAGUA
(except East Coast), HONDURAS (except East
Coast), SALVADOR, PANAMA, CANAL ZONE,
ECUADOR, PERU, BOLIVIA and CHILI, per s.s.
Advance, from New York, via Colon. Mail for
GUATEMALA and CAUCA DEPARTMENT OF
COLOMBIA must be directed "Per s.s. Advance." GUATEMALA and CAUCA DEPARTMENT OF COLOMBIA must be directed "Per s.s. Advance." (c) At 11:25 P.M. for HAITI, per s.s. Prino der Nederlanden, from New York. Mail for GON-AIVES, CURACAO, VENEZUELA, TRINIDAD and GUIANA must be directed "Per s.s. Prino der Nederlanden." (c) At 11:45 P.M. for BARBADOS and NORTHERN BRAZIL, per s.s. Marenbeuse, from New York, via Barbados, Para and Manaos. TUESDAY—(c) At 11:45 P.M. for ARGENTINE, URUGUAY and PARAGUAY, per s.s. Sauncion de Larrinaga, from New York. (c) At 11:45 P.M. for INAGUA, HAITI, SANTA MARTA and other places in MAGDALENA DEPARTMENT, COLOMBIA, per s.s. Adirondack, from New York. (c) At 11:45 P.M. for TURKS ISLAND and DOMINICAN REPUBLIC, per s.s. Cherokee, from New York. (c) Prime Eggs, 20c.; Kippered Herring, 11c.; PUBLIC, per s.s. Cherokee, from New York. (c)
At 11:45 P.M. for ST. THOMAS, ST. CROIX,
LEEWARD and WINDWARD ISLANDS and GUIANA, per s.s. Manoa, from New York. Mail for
GRENADA and TRINIDAD must be directed "Per

ANA, per s.s. Manoa, from New York. Mail for GRENADA and TRINIDAD must be directed "Per s.s. Manoa."

WEDNESDAY—(c) At 11:45 P.M. for YUOATAN and CAMPECHE, per s.s. Vigilancia, from New York. Mail for other parts of MEXICO must be directed "Per s.s. Vigilancia." (e) At 11:45 P.M. for NICARAGUA (except East Coast), HONDURAS (except East Coast), SALVADOR, PANAMA, CANAL ZONE, ECUADOR, PERU, BOLIVIA and CHILI, per s.s. City of Washington, from New York. Mail for GUATEMALA and CAUCA DE-PARTMENT OF COLOMBIA must be directed "Per s.s. City of Washington." (e) At 11:45 P.M. for the BAHAMAS, per s.s. Seneca, from New York. Mail for MEXICO, via Tampleo, must be directed "Per s.s. Seneca." (c) At 11:45 P.M. for the BAHAMAS, per s.s. Antilia, from New York. Mail must be directed "Per s.s. Antilia,"

THURSDAY—(c) At 11:45 P.M. for BRAZIL, per s.s. Eastern Prince, from New York, via Pernambuco, Rio Janeiro and Santos. Mail for NORTH-ERN BRAZIL, ARGENTINE, URUGUAY and PARAGUAY must be directed "Per s.s. Eastern Prince," FBIDAY—(b) At 2:30 P.M. for BERMUDA, per FBIDAY—(b) At 2:30 P.M. for BERMUDA, per

FRIDAY—(b) At 2:30 P.M. for BERMUDA, per steamer from Hallfax. (c) At 11:45 P.M. for PORTO RICO, CURACAO and VENEZUELA, per s.s. Philadelphia, from New York. Mail for COLOMBIA, via Curacao, must be directed "Per s.s. Philadelphia." (c) At 11:45 P.M. for FORTUNE ISLAND, JAMAICA and COLOMBIA, except Magdalena Department, per s.s. Alleghany, from New York. Mail for CONTA RICA must be directed "Per s.s. Alleghany." "Per s.s. Alleghany."
MEXICO, overland, unless specially addressed for dispatch by steamers sailing from New York, close here daily at 10:05 A.M. (f) and 10:00

CUBA MAILS close here at 3:00 P.M. on Mon-days, Wednesdays and Saturdays, via Port Tampa, Fla. (p), and at 10:00 P.M. on Thursdays, via New Fla. (p), and at 10:00 P.M. on Thursdays, via New Orleans, Ls. (h)
NEWFOUNDIAND, by rail to North Sydney and thence via steamer, close here daily, except Sundays, at 2:30 P.M. (b), and on Sundays at 11:30 A.M. (k), the connecting closes being on Mondays, Wednesdays and Saturdays.

JAMAICA, by rail to Boston and thence via steamer, close here at 2:30 P.M. (c), by rail to Philadelphia and thence via steamer.

MIQUELON, by rail, to Boston, and thence via the control of MIQUELON, by rall to Boston and thence via steamer, close here daily, except Sundays, at 2:30 P.M. (b), and on Sundays at 11:30 A.M. (k) BRITISH HONDURAS, HONDURAS (East Coast)

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COSTA RICA, by rail to New Orleans and thence via steamer, close here daily at 10:05 A.M. (f) and 10:00 P.M. (h), the connecting closes being on Tuesdays.

NICARAGUA (East Coast), by rail to New Orleans and thence via steamer, close here daily at
10:05 A.M. (f) and 10:00 P.M. (h), the connecting
closes being on Thursdays.

TRANSPACIFIC MAILS.

HAWAII, via San Francisco, close here daily at
6:30 P.M. up to October 24, for dispatch per s.s.
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Japan. Korea, China and specially addressed mail for the Phillippine Islands, via Seattle, close here daily at 6:30 P.M. up to October 26, for dispatch per s.s. Kanagawa Maru. (a)

Phillippine Islands and Guam, via San Francisco, close here daily at 6:30 P.M. up to October 27, for dispatch per U. S. transport. (a)

HAWAII, JAPAN, KOREA, CHINA and Phillippine Islands, via San Francisco, close here daily at 6:30 P.M. up to November 4, for dispatch per s.s. Doric. (a)

AUSTRALIA (except mails for West Australia), NEW ZEALAND, NEW CALEDONIA, SAMOA, HAWAII and specially addressed mail for the Fill Islands, via San Francisco, close here daily at 6:30 P.M. up to November 5, for dispatch per s.s. Sierra. (b)

at 6:30 F.M. up to November 5, for dispatch per 8.s. Slerra. (o)
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HAWAII, JAPAN, KOREA, CHINA and specially addressed mail for the PHILIPPINE ISLANDS, via San Francisco, close here daily at 6:30 P.M. up to November 10, for dispatch per 8.s. Manchura. (a) Manchura. (a)

JAPAN, KOREA, CHINA and specially addressed mail for the PHILIPPINE ISLANDS, via Tacoma, close here daily at 6:30 P.M. up to November 18, for dispatch per s.s. Dencalion. (r)

TAHTI and MARQUESAS ISLANDS, via San Francisco, close here daily at 6:30 P.M. up to November 20, for dispatch per s.s. Mariposa. (a)

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